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NOTE FOR: Chief, Intelligence Producers

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Executive Assistant to the DDCI

FYI. Attached is the package that was forwarded to Congress. This obviously relates to the work you are doing in response to NSDD 108. I believe the DCI plans to think about all of this, as well as the work that is doing, and decide what he wants to do next. I believe he is leaning towards the NIO proposal. I would think you wouldn't want to get out in front of him on all of this.

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The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D. C. 20505

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The Honorable Barry M. Goldwater Chairman, Select Committee on Intelligence United States Senate Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Mr. Chairman:

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As requested in the classified Annex of your Committee's FY-1984 Budget, I am forwarding you two reports on "multidisciplinary counterintelligence analysis." One was prepared by the Community Counterintelligence Staff, based on input from individual Community components. The other was written by a four-man Commission established at your direction to get additional input, which was chaired by Mr. John Bross.

I hope that you will be gratified, as I was, to note that both reflect that marked progress has been made in the last three years in the important areas covered by the term "multidisciplinary counterintelligence analysis." To continue this trend and ensure we have an aggressive program meeting our country's needs, I plan to carefully consider both reports and take whatever steps might further enhance our efforts. You will see that the two reports differ somewhat on suggested improvements and on the need for further organizational steps. I am deliberating on some further improvements and will keep you advised.

To update you on a couple of related matters, our assessment of the impact of recent espionage cases on technical collection systems is nearing completion. We should be able to brief you on the results in early January. Work is also continuing on the national estimate on Soviet strategic deception, which should be completed by late February.

This letter is also being sent to Senator Moynihan.

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